

QST de W1AW TO ALL RADIO AMATEURS DEC 29 1941  
NUMEROUS AMATEUR RADIO GROUPS ARE NOW HOLDING MEETINGS TO ORGANIZE FOR  
CIVILIAN DEFENSE UNDER PLANS APPROVED BY THEIR LOCAL AUTHORITIES STOP TA  
AN A R R L BULLETIN WILL BE SENT ON REQUEST INDICATING PROPER PROCEDURE  
STOP DULY AUTHORIZED FEDERAL STATE OR LOCAL OFFICIALS SUCH AS GOVERNOR M  
MAYOR OR CHIEF OF POLICE MUST CERTIFY TO THE DCB THAT REQUESTED OPERATION  
IS ESSENTIAL FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE ACTIVITIES STOP THE OFFICIALS IN  
APPLYING TO THE DEFENSE COMMUNICATIONS BOARD OR FCC FOR ACTIVATION OF NEW  
AMATEURS MUST GIVE FULL NAME ADDRESS AND CALL OF DESIRED LICENSEES WITH  
A CLEAR STATEMENT OF THE DEFENSE FUNCTIONS TO BE SERVED STOP SEE INSERT  
IN JANUARY QST FOR MORE DETAILS STOP ONLY AMATEURS RECEIVING FCC ORDERS  
TO RESUME MAY ACTIVATE THEIR STATIONS AND THEN FOR DEFENSE NEEDS ONLY UNDER  
THE DIRECTION OF THEIR SPONSORING AUTHORITY STOP SUCH OPERATION DOES NOT  
PERMIT RAG CHEWING STOP ALL FCC AMATEUR SERVICE REGULATIONS MUST BE FOLLOWED  
OBSERVED STOP IN ADDITION ALL DEFENSE OPERATION IS SUBJECT TO THE  
SUPERIOR AND IMMEDIATE CONTROL ORDERS OF THE INTERCEPTOR COMMAND OF EACH  
AREA STOP ~~ACT~~ EITHER DIRECT OR THROUGH NET CONTROL STATIONS ALL AMATEURS  
WHOSE STATIONS ARE IN DEFENSE STATUS MUST BE IN A POSITION TO OBSERVE RADIO  
SILENCE INSTANTLY IF AND WHENEVER CALLED FOR STOP A ONE THOUSAND CYCLE TONE  
FROM KEY BROADCAST STATIONS IN EACH AREA OR THE ABSENCE OF LOCAL BROADCAST  
CARRIERS ORDERS RADIO BLACKOUT OR SILENCE STOP ALL PROPERLY LICENSED AMATEURS  
MAY OPERATE STATIONS AUTHORIZED FOR DEFENSE AND SHOULD PLAN RELAYS OF  
OPERATORS FOR 24 HOUR NEEDS IF NECESSARY STOP ALL AMATEURS SHOULD KEEP  
THEMSELVES AND EQUIPMENT READY AND NOT DISMANTLE STOP EACH INDIVIDUAL IS  
URGED TO GET REGISTERED IN A R R L S EMERGENCY CORPS. STOP SEND STAMPED  
ADDRESSED ENVELOPE TO ARRL FOR FORMS STOP ALL AMATEURS AND GROUPS RE-  
ACTIVATED FOR DEFENSE SHOULD REPORT TO SECTION MANAGERS WHOSE ADDRESS  
APPEARS PAGE 4 QST SO THEIR DEFENSE PLANS WILL BE APPROPRIATELY MENTIONED  
IN QST STOP MORE RADIO OPERATORS AND SPECIALISTS ARE NEEDED STOP FCC  
EXAMINATIONS ARE STILL BEING GIVEN AND THE 1942 FCC EXAMINATION SCHEDULE  
WILL BE PUBLISHED IN FEBRUARY QST STOP ARRL SUGGESTS TO AMATEUR CLUBS  
THAT THEY ALL CARRY ON, ADOPTING PROGRAMS OF CODE INSTRUCTION, UHF BUILDING  
FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE AND RADIO TROOPERS CLASSES AD QST DE W1AW

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AT THE REQUEST OF THE DCB THE FCC TODAY TEMPORARILY DISCONTINUED TAKING ACTION ON REQUESTS FOR REAUTHORIZATION OF PARTICULAR AMATEUR STATIONS. IN FOR DEFENSE STOP THERE IS NO CANCELLATION OF EXISTING AUTHORIZATIONS STOP FURTHER ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEW REGULATIONS UNDER WHICH NEW APPLICATIONS FOR CIVILIAN DEFENSE REACTIVATION OF AMATEUR LICENSEES WILL BE CONSIDERED WILL SOON BE MADE PENDING THE OUTCOME OF STUDIES NOW IN PROGRESS STOP THE SPONSORS AND ALL AMATEUR OPERATORS HOLDING FCC - DCB REAUTHORIZATION ARE CAUTIONED TO OBSERVE GREAT RESTRAINT AND RESPONSIBILITY IN ANY TESTING OF DEFENSE SET UPS REFRAINING FROM ALL EXCEPT ESSENTIAL OPERATIONS STOP ARRL URGENTLY WARNS AGAINST REPORTING OR MENTIONING LOCAL OR SPECIFIC WEATHER OR TEMPERATURE CONDITIONS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES STOP THIS IS REGARDED AS MILITARY INFORMATION AND MUST NOT BE DISCLOSED QST de W1AW

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